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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Laura C. Blumberg et al. :

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Asst. Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

The present reply is in response to the communication mailed July 29, 2003. In response thereto, Applicants elect, without traverse, Group "I", claims 1-14, drawn to "the compounds, compositions and method of use of the compounds of formula I where the ring formed is 3,8-diaza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl, classified in class 544, subclass 349 and class 514, subclass 249."

It is submitted that the Applicant has fully complied with the Examiner's restriction requirement. Early examination and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

No fee is believed to be due; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any extension of time fee, and any other fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-1445.

Respectfully submitted,

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